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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Important Happenings.

June 16.

The Washington correspondent of a noted that Secretary Taft will not be a candidate for President, but will support Senator Foraker. Secretary Taft, according to this correspondent, desires to succeed Judge Fuller as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Justice Fuller is to be offered a place on the International Court of Arbitration.

The hearing of Judge James Hargis, Alex. Hargis and B. F. French, charged with complicity in the murder of James B. Marcum, was resumed at Jackson yesterday before Magistrate Allen, Magistrate Burton being sworn off the bench on an affidavit from County Attorney Blanton alleging that Burton was a material witness for the prosecution. Mrs. Marcum, who was on the witness stand, was cross-examined by Judge Hargis. An order for Mrs. Marcum's arrest was received at Winchester from Jackson after she had left to appear at the trial.

The fifteenth annual convention of the United Confederate Veterans adjourned last evening after selecting New Orleans as the next meeting place. Gen. Stephen D. Lee was unanimously selected General commanding the organization. It was reported that the money to build Little Abbeys had been secured and that there was every prospect of work being begun on that memorial within the year. Gen. Lee refused to allow any action in the Miles-Davis controversy and this ruling was heartily cheered. Messages of greeting with good will passed between the convention and the department, G. A. R.

In a statement issued yesterday Thomas F. Ryan says that he is the sole owner of the 562 shares of Equitable stock purchased from James H. Hyde. The trustees selected by Ryan, including ex-President Cleveland, issued an appeal in which they elucidate the plan agreed on to secure mutualization, by which they are to vote for seven out of the thirteen directors annually chosen, in response to the majority wish of the policyholders, who are requested to instruct the trustees by letter as to their choice for members of the board. As to the remaining six directors to be annually elected, the trustees are unconcerned.

It has been definitely decided that Washington will be the scene of the peace negotiations between Russia and Japan. The Japanese Government preferred the Foo as a meeting place, while Russia preferred a meeting in any European capital, and it was then agreed that Washington could be the point of negotiating an official statement to this effect was issued yesterday from the White House. It is expected that within a few days the names of the plenipotentiaries will be made public and the date for the conference selected. Middle of August is mentioned as the date likely to be selected. Pressure being brought to bear on Japan to induce her to fix the sum she demands as an indemnity for the sinking of the battleship, the figure being as high as possible under the circumstances.

June 17.

The Hon. C. Brock Hill, of Clark county, will be a candidate for the senate nomination for Congress in the Tenth district.

Powerful efforts will be made to secure for Louisville the next triennial session of the International Sun-club Association.

Twelve to forty indictments expected in Chicago as a result of the grand jury investigation of the Beef Trust. Bills are said to have been drawn against five packers.

Frankfort Chair Company has been absorbed by a three million corporation which was organized yesterday of which Ford & Johnson Company, of Chicago, is the chief factor.

Collier, Harvey Smith and Will Collier, all negroes, were hanged by gallows at New Decatur, Ala., today. The first two were convicted of murder and rape and the third of the murder of a police officer.

State's Attorney Fike yesterday that the evidence before the Chicago grand jury was so strong that it was a foregone conclusion that the test-stand, he said, maintained interest created by that of previous.

Strain on diplomatic relations between France and Germany, growing out of the Moroccan question, came very serious. Sensationalism on the subject are published in the Paris papers. One asserted that Germany had issued an ultimatum, but the Foreign Office formally denied this.

Gen. Lee, Commander of the U. C. V., through Adj. Gen. Michel, issued a final order thanking the people of Louisville for the splendid hospitality extended them.

B. F. French cross-examined Mrs. James B. Marcum at the Hargis-French hearing at Jackson yesterday. Mrs. Marcum refused to answer French's questions until forced to do so by the court. She said to French: "I don't care to be questioned by you, you murdering dog." The court refused a request of witnesses that a guard be appointed to protect them. Judge Hargis took occasion to denounce Mose Feltner as a violator of every section of the criminal code.

President Roosevelt has appointed a committee of five experienced men to consider improvements in the existing methods of transacting the public business. He has written a letter to the chairman of the committee, pointing out some of the subjects wherein he believes improvements may be made. Unless letter-writing is especially anxious should be eliminated. He also thinks there is too much disposition in the department to give attention to collecting paper items rather than to the substance of cases.

June 18.

District Attorney Jerome, of New York, in a speech to the Merchants Protective Association of that city, severely rebuked the actions of certain "eminent gentlemen" connected with the Equitable Assurance society, and declared they were morally as criminal as those who break the sections of the penal code against larceny.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says that the question of a meeting place for the peace conference has been reopened, Russia favoring The Hague, at Washington, it is stated that no change of location is probable, and Count Cassini is quoted as saying that Washington is quoted as Russia, and will remain so, in diplomatic circles it is believed that Japan's position in opposition to the selection of a European city is final.

Fred Hucksold, a teamster, was killed and William White, another teamster, was shot in the left side in Chicago yesterday as a result of a strike disturbance on Van Buren street. Hucksold was riding on a street car when the riot occurred and was taken no part in the disturbance. The shooting was done by Charles Hiltman, who with William Monroe, and been sworn in as a deputy sheriff and was guarding a United States Express Company wagon. A conference between teamsters and employers is to be held Monday with a view to a settlement of this strike.

The tension in diplomatic relations between Germany and France which journalist reports have had on the eve of a war over the Moroccan question is reported to have been somewhat relieved, and a conference between the German Ambassador and the French Premier yesterday showed that no rupture had occurred. It is said that France is willing, in the interest of peace, to agree to an international conference, provided Germany will give guarantees that such agreement will not be considered as an abandonment of any rights France now holds. No uneasiness over the situation is felt in Washington. There is said to be a feeling nearly approaching a desire for war in German military circles. The French people manifest no excitement over the situation.

The hearing of the Hargises and B. F. French at Jackson on the charge of complicity in the murder of James B. Marcum ended yesterday in the discharge of the defendants. County Attorney Blanton throwing up the case and telling Magistrate Allen to take his case and go to the devil with it. Blanton left the court, and later stated that the reason he did so was to prevent bloodshed, as he learned Mose Feltner, who was armed, would attempt to harm the defendants. The court refused to allow Mr. Blanton to employ a special stenographer, and B. F. French is said to have told the official stenographer what testimony to record. County Attorney Blanton is said to have told Sheriff McCord that he feared Mose Feltner would have been killed if he had attempted to testify.

June 19.

Lightning destroyed the great Armour ice houses at Milwaukee. The loss is between \$225,000 and \$300,000.

Henry Ochsenrider, of Bluffton, Ind., wrote his obituary, selected his pall-bearers and then hanged himself.

Eleven negroes are said to have been killed in the shooting on an excursion train at Griffin, Ga., Saturday night.

It is claimed that the New York Central-Lake Shore eighteen-hour train between Chicago and New York yesterday demonstrated its ability to cover the distance in fourteen hours flat.

Reports from the Japanese armies in Manchuria state that steady advances are being made. Gen. Nish-

chenko has occupied Liao Yang Wopeng, the Russians fleeing in disorder. The Russian losses are said to have been heavy.

The France-German situation was further improved yesterday by it being shown that no menace was intended France in Germany's proposed plan for an international conference on the Moroccan question. It is the opinion in Berlin that Germany diplomacy has inserted a wedge between England and France and discharged the growing friendship between the two countries by putting France in such a position that she made demands on this friendship that Great Britain would not meet.

Russia has finally accepted Washington as the meeting place of the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries the Foreign Office, at the personal direction of the Emperor, having waived its request for reconsideration, as the Emperor desires to give the fullest and fairest opportunity to President Roosevelt's proposal. The result is looked upon as a triumph for American diplomacy. The Gazette intimates that Russia may not balk at an indemnity, though nothing is yet known as to Japan's terms. The operations in Manchuria appear to be leading up to a big engagement.

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Just Meandering.

A city girl writes: "It is a fond dream of mine to become a farmer's wife and meander with him down life's pathway," and to this the Osborne, Kan., News man replies: "Ah yes, that is a nice thing; but when your husband meanders off and leaves you without wood and you have to meander up and down the lane pulling splinters off the fence to cook dinner, and when you meander along in the wet grass in search of the cows till your shoes are like the color of rawhide and your stockings soaked, and when you meander over across twenty acres of ploughed ground with a club to drive the hogs out of the cornfield and tear your dress and the barbed-wire fence, when you meander back home to the house, find that the billy goat has butted the stuff out of your child, and find the old hen and forty chickens in the parlor, you'll put your hands on your hips and realize that meander is not what it is cracked up to be."

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Sayings of a Cynical Boarder.

None but the brave can stand the fare. "Where the servants cease from troubling and the house wife has a rest." "Don't cry over spilled milk. All prunes look alike to me. Look before you sleep. What's one man's meat is another man's hash. A fish in the pan is worth two in the brook—Judge."

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Kentucky Crop Report.

The month of May was generally pleasant and favorable to plant growth. Some localities report an excess of rain. Farming is well advanced, and crops, generally, in good condition and gave promise an average yield. But since the first of the month rust has appeared in some localities that will weaken the straw and prevent the head from filling with good plump berries. Toward extent the crop will be injured can not yet be determined. It is hoped the last few days of dry weather, together with the cool nights, checked the rust in time to insure a fair crop. The usual acreage of oats were sown and promise a good yield. The rice crop is fully up to standard. About the usual acreage of barley tobacco has been planted. There seems to have been quite a falling in acreage of the dark variety. Meadows, pastures and clover are doing well. It is very gratifying to note that our farmers are experimenting with alfalfa. Too much care and attention can not be given to this valuable plant. Live stock of all kinds are reported healthy and in good condition. Our State seems to be free from scourge of hog cholera once more, and it is to be hoped it will be a long time before it makes appearance among us again. The fruit crop will not be a full one. But nearly all sections will have some, while a few sections will have abundance. The grape crop, while not a full one, is fair, and there will be plenty for home use. Gardens are early and generally in good condition.

DYING OF FAMINE.

In its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myers, of Carlisle, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throats, bronchitis, etc. Postive at A. M. Hughes' drug store, price 50c per bottle. Guaranteed and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free.

ULYSES.

The land suit between Allen and Borders was tried here last Monday and decided in favor of Allen. Rumor says that Borders will take an appeal.

Elliott Preston, of Georges Creek, bought a lot of young cattle from Ed Boyd recently.

Joe Daniels, of Sycamore, was here on a traveling expedition Monday.

W. B. Prose, of Irad, visited his son, Virgil Prose, at Chestnut last week.

Jesse George and wife were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

Rev. Burns Conley passed through here Monday enroute for his home at Paintsville.

Rev. Gerard Deboard, of Ashland, was here recently calling on relatives and friends.

On last Thursday Lewis Deboard, of Lowmansville, and Miss Bird Daniels of Georges Creek, were married. Last Saturday Willie Deboard was pretty badly hurt in a runaway accident. He had gone to mill and his horse became frightened and started to run, the boy fell off and his foot hung in the stirrup while he was dragged a considerable distance. He is out of danger and is improving nicely.

SMOKING IN A POWDER MAGAZINE.

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FALLSBURG.

Last Sunday was the Odd Fellows Memorial day and their Hall would hardly hold all the people in attendance and if it had not been such a rainy day there would have been a great many more people to witness the proceedings.

The citizens of Fallsburg were considerably surprised when they heard that John Shortridge was going to Louisa to be the landlord at the Arlington Hotel, but he leaves his son-in-law, Mr. Bradley in possession of his hotel here and he is a very nice young man and will conduct the business in good order.

Everybody has quit complaining about dry weather since last Sunday's rain and the corn fields and gardens have changed their looks wonderfully since the rain.

There was a big wagon load of Elk-ines, come out here from Cats fork last Saturday to attend the Baptist meeting on Hewlett branch and they drove back while it was raining.

Jay Austin is still attending to the business at Fullers station and will be there until time comes to begin teaching school. His Uncle Wiley is up the river attending to the timber and tan bark business and will be there for some time yet.

Several witnesses from about here were summoned to attend court to give testimony in the trial between Theodore Johnson and Jack Collinsworth which is a damage suit.

U. E. S.

Paintsville.

(Herald.)

George McClure, a venerable and highly esteemed citizen of Gallip, Lawrence county, was here over Sunday the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Atkinson.

Mrs. Gordon Burgess, of the same place, a sister of Mrs. Atkinson accompanied her father.

Henry Castle was awarded \$200 damages against the C. & O. for injuries to his property at the Mouth of Muddy branch.

Catherine Castle, who sued the C. & O. for damages sustained to her property by reason of too small a culvert placed in by the C. & O. near the mouth of Muddy branch, was given a verdict for \$195, in Circuit Court.

Will Nelson was awarded \$1,200 damages against Langhorne & Ricketts, in Circuit court Monday for injuries received while in their employ.

Proctor K. Malin, of Ashland, was here attending Circuit court. He is attorney for Col. Northrup in the condemnation proceedings instituted by the Cumberland Pipe Line Co., against Northrup.

The Citizens National Bank has purchased the Alger House property on Main street, paying \$3000 for same. A fine banking house will be erected on the property and the Alger House will be greatly improved and the bank will continue to rent it. The purchase was made from Mrs. Josie McDonald, of Logan, Va.

R. A. E. Leslie, of Hager Hill, was in to see us Tuesday. Mr. Leslie was formerly engaged in the newspaper business, or, as he expressed by him he "worked at the trade until an opportunity presented itself to get re-employment." He is now following agricultural pursuits and is one of our most progressive farmers. However, he can not resist the temptation of visiting print shops. He was a successful journalist.

Died at her home near East Point, Mrs. Cora Auxier, wife of Will Auxier. The deceased is a daughter of the late Hamilton Price.

Dr. Jeff Walter, of Pikeville, but formerly of this place, is opposed to race suicide as evidenced by the arrival of twins at his home this being the second arrival of that number of bouncing boys. Dr. Walter married Lizzie Syck, daughter of George W. Syck, who formerly resided near Paintsville.

M. L. Price, Mason Conley, Joe Conley, Jim Preston, Bob Murphy, Levi Mead, Leona Stapleton, John Salvers, Hade Conley, Lindsay Litteral and George McCloud, of this county, are serving as jurors in the Magoffin Circuit Court in the trial of Gitau Howard charged with the murder of young Sam Brown, near Bloomington about six months ago. Sheriff Ward was ordered to summon 60 men from this county from which to select a jury.

A bad negro is in jail at this place. His name is Grant Reed and he was arrested and brought here from Wolfe county. Monday, Deputy Marshal Ashberry Patrick making the arrest. Reed is the negro who conducted the blind tiger near Lee City, in Wolfe county, at which four men lost their lives and several were badly wounded a few days ago. Another of the killed was Andy Wilson, the jockey, who used to live in this county. Reed has the reputation of being bad character and the people of Wolfe county are trying to rid themselves of him. We suppose they have never thought of a good piece of rope. Reed's examining trial, on a charge of selling liquor without a license, comes up before Commissioner Hovess, the 21st.

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Henry Davis is all smiles. It is a boy.

Several folks from Ulysses and other parts, passed here enroute to Charley to attend church Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Castle, of Lowmansville, visited her daughter, Mrs. Andy Boyd Saturday and Sunday.

Wm. Williamson, of Catlettsburg, is visiting relatives at this place.

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Hard muscles and strong body do not depend on the quantity of food you eat, but on its perfect digestion and proper assimilation. When you take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure your system gets all the nourishment out of all the food you eat. It digests what you eat regardless of the condition of the stomach and conveys the nutrient properties to the blood and tissues. This builds up and strengthens the entire system. Kodol cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Belching, Sour Stomach, Weak Heart, etc. Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

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JOE FIELDS

A woman is to be hanged in Vermont today for the murder of her husband, and a man is to go into eternity from Chicago at about the same hour for poisoning his wife. The fact.

Tobacco growers of Kentucky and Tennessee are incensed at reports to the Department of Agriculture which show a 20 per cent. increase in the acreage of the crop. These reports are believed by them to have been inspired by the Tobacco Trust.

The hearing in the suit of the State of Missouri against the Standard and other oil companies for revocation of the charters of the defendants was begun in St. Louis Tuesday. The State will attempt to prove a combination in restraint of trade.

August 1 is now mentioned as the probable date of meeting of the Russian and Japanese peace conference. That date is said to be acceptable to Russia and a Tokyo dispatch says it will be possible for the Japanese plenipotentiaries to leave Yokohama on June 20.

Norway in a few weeks will send a special envoy to the great powers, seeking recognition of the new government. Mr. Loveland, who will be the New Foreign Minister, said the action taken by the Storting was irrevocable and that Norwegians would fight before they would recede from the position they had taken.

The last report made by the C. & O. Railway Company shows that the net earnings per mile on the Big Sandy division surpass those of the main line. We have a right to expect good service and the best connections possible. The present system in all right and is appreciated. We would also appreciate inducements in the way of freight rates that would enable manufacturers to do business here and compete with points anywhere else. This is not an unreasonable request. The railroad would profit by it as well as the people of Big Sandy.

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Buy Hair at Auction?

At any rate, you seem to be getting rid of it on auction-sale principles: "going, going, gone!" Stop the auction with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, and always restores color to gray hair. A splendid dressing also. Sold for over sixty years.

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TUDELL, W. V. A.

Pearl Dawson, a prosperous young farmer, who resides near here, was on yesterday morning attacked and fearfully mangled by a mad bull. His left leg was broken just below the knee and he was otherwise injured about the head and face. When his plucky wife came to his assistance the ferocious beast had him down in a ditch. Had it not been for her good nerve the beast would in all probability have killed Mr. Dawson. It is thought he will recover.

Miss Mattie Bayes, of Louisa, was here last week the guest of her cousin, Miss Clara Spears.

Mrs. K. F. Wellman, of Nolan, Va., is here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Peters.

Quite a lot of the young folks of this place attended the Children's Day exercises at Spruce on Sunday evening and all report a fine time.

Miss Lena Tierman, of Wayne, W. Va., is here the guest of her cousin, Misses Minnie and Lillian Holt.

George Wellman is confined to his room with an abscess on his thigh.

George Sturgill, of Madge, who has been attending medical college at Louisville, was here Sunday calling on Miss Alice Wellman.

Frank Wheeler contemplates a visit to Estep, Ky., in the near future.

Mrs. George Williams, of Buchanan, is here spending a few days with her husband who is an engineer on the lock and dam at this place.

Foxy.

A BAD SCARE

Some day you will get a bad scare, when you feel a pain in your bowels, and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life Pills, a sure cure, for all bowel and stomach diseases, such as headache, biliousness, constipation, etc. Guaranteed at A. M. Hughes' drug store, only 25c. Try them.

HARGIS BRANCH.

Married at James Nelson's on the 18th Miss Margaret Cains to Mr. C. H. Hughes. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Thos. Cains, of Potter, and the groom is the well known son of James Hughes, of Morgans creek. We extend to them our congratulations, and may their pathway be bright and strewn with flowers.

Frank Diamond, of Louisa, visited James Nelson Sunday.

Mrs. Dock Jordan and two little daughters, of Potter, visited Mrs. Nancy Nelson Sunday.

Harry Yates, of Fallsburg, called on his best girl here Sunday.

Mrs. Thos. Hays is on the sick list. Jack Owens contemplates going East in the near future.

M. F. Nelson and family visited his father, James Nelson, Sunday.

Misses Nannie and Annie Wilson, of Louisa, passed through here Sunday enroute to H. B. Salter's. When they neared the mouth of this branch their horses became frightened and ran away and upset the buggy in Big Blaine. Nannie jumped out before they reached the water. Neither was hurt.

Born, to Arthur Blankenship and wife on the first of this month, a 10-pound boy.

Miss Tilda and Mr. Lizzie Cyrus, of Deephole, visited their uncle, Thos. Hays, Sunday.

James Frasier and Thos. Benard, of Potter, visited Marion Nelson Monday.

Albert Parsons spent Monday night at James Nelson's.

Miss Emma Short visited Mrs. Virgie Carter Sunday.

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MANY CHILDREN ARE SICKLY.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, Break up Colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and Destroy Worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address, A. L. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

PAINTSVILLE.

Joe Gillum, of Morgan county, has again been arrested on the charge of entering the East Point post-office, some time ago. The government claims to have a dead clinch on Joseph. Asberry Patrick and Dan Price made the arrest.

Fred Vanhous, of Mingo, is the first farmer to place home grown peaches on the local market. He delivered several bushels here.

Ten workmen are engaged in rebuilding the graded free school building, recently destroyed by fire. The building will be an exact duplicate of the former building. The walls are in good condition and but little brick work will be necessary. The repairs will be rushed to a rapid completion.—Herald.

COPELY, W. V. A.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Peters was beautifully decorated with roses, palm and ferns making it a home of beauty, the central flower being the lovely daughter, Miss Lizzie, who was united in marriage to Mr. John Holbrook. The ceremony occurred at 7 o'clock. Rev. Garrod Peters pronounced the words which made two loving hearts one. The bride was beautiful in brown and white. Those present were Rosa Copley and Malissa and Minnie Holbrook.

Nora Hardwick and Ida Wilson visited at Dave See's Saturday and Sunday.

M. C. Peck and daughter, Annie, went to Gallup Saturday.

Several of the young folks attended Children's Day at Spruce Sunday. Nannie Lynch and Lizzie Bartram were shopping in Louisa Saturday.

Mrs. K. F. Wellman, of Nolan, is here visiting her father, J. N. Peters. Jay Hardwick still makes his Sunday trips up Tug.

Bertha Lynch and Alice Copley visited the Peck girls Saturday night.

Mrs. Will Meek is visiting at her father's, C. F. Peters.

Rosa and Blaine Copley visited their sister at Gonova, W. Va., last week.

George Wellman and Charles Wheeler passed through here Saturday.

Parlin and Vinnie Pauley attended church at Rocky Valley Sunday.

"THE BIG STORE"

Grand Summer Clearance Sales!

Money Buys Double its Usual Value During THIS SALE

It's the after-movement to our Anniversary sale. The remainder of all stocks go at sacrifice prices. Garments and materials offered at figures much below what the cost would be to a small merchant. Value that will afford you a saving far larger than your expectations.

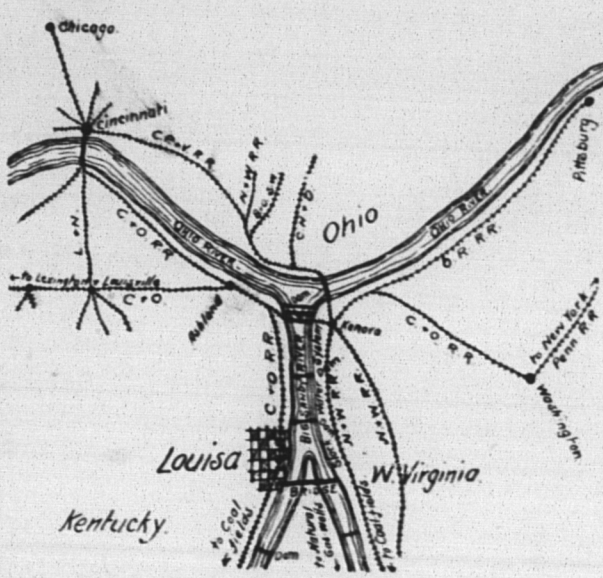
Half Price Sales in Covert Jackets, Skirts, Suits, Waists, Underwear, Millinery.
Cut Prices in Wash Goods, Dress Goods, Silks, etc.

Your Fare is Paid on All Purchases,
4 per cent of which equals the amount of your fare.

Valentine & Newcomb,
Huntington, - - - West Virginia.

LOUISA'S LOCATION.

If You Don't Believe That Louisa is on the Map and Centrally Located, Look at This.



The above map shows very clearly where Louisa is, and her connections with important points. It also shows her transportation facilities, both water and rail. The drawing was made by Mr. H. A. Scholze, Assistant U. S. Engineer, at the request of the Louisa Board of Trade. This body desires all the people of Louisa who use printed stationery to have this map printed on the backs of their envelopes, along with important facts about Louisa's advantages.

Bulletins.

Following contains the latest news from Conley's Store.

We have picked up a big bargain in \$10 watches and will sell them at \$7.50. This is a rare opportunity and the offer is good only while this lot lasts.

Spaulding's Official League baseballs, \$1.25. Also Spaulding's cheaper balls for boys. Bats at all prices. Spaulding's mits and gloves. Same prices as you would pay in Chicago.

Guitars, banjos, violins, French harps, accordions, strings and other supplies.

Choice box paper in all the latest styles.

Full line of books from 10c up.

If you need a good watch we can fit you out to suit your desires both as to quality and prices.

Birthdays and wedding anniversaries come around at this season the same as any other. Brighten these occasions for your family and friends by a gift. In our line you will find appropriate gifts, inexpensive or otherwise. Gold and silver goods, china, cut glass, novelties, and last but not least, books.

CONLEY'S STORE.

Louisa, Ky.

HULETTE.

An unusually large gathering of people attended church services here Sunday conducted by Rev. Isaac Fanin and others. After preaching in the afternoon the congregation repaired to Blaine creek a few hundred yards away, and the ordinance of baptism was administered to Mrs. Harry Nunley, Mrs. Carrie Bostick and Miss Ida Wooten.

Frank Burton and family, of Midkiff, W. Va., who have been visiting relatives at this place, returned home last Thursday.

Quite a number of young folks of Fallsburg East Fork and other places attended the Baptizing here Sunday. Among them we notice the smiling countenances of Miss Sallie Higgins, Willie Queen, Bill Bellomy, Wallace Cochran and others.

"Jumbo, field operator for the Kentucky Photo Co., was here Monday taking snap shots of some of our youths and maidens.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ratcliff, of Vesle, were visiting D. A. O'Daniel of this place Sunday.

A. Collinsworth and wife, of Fallsburg, and J. A. Collinsworth, of Potter, were the guests of Mr. Wm. Bostick Sunday.

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

School books and all kinds of supplies will be on hand at Conley's store, Louisa, in time for the schools beginning in July.

Too many men expect to be "brother-in-lawed" into heaven on their wife's religion.

NOW IS THE TIME FOR HYOMEL

Far Easier to Cure Catarrh Now Than at Any Other Season

Now is the time to use Hyomel, when the early summer days make it so easy to cure catarrhal troubles. The Hyomel treatment breathed for a few minutes three or four times a day in May or June, will do good twice as quickly as it did in January, and nearly everyone knows that used faithfully then, it completely rids the system of catarrh.

The complete Hyomel outfit costs but one dollar, and consists of a neat inhaler that can be carried in the purse or vest-pocket and will last a lifetime, a medicine dropper, and a bottle of Hyomel. Extra bottles of Hyomel can be procured, if desired, for fifty cents.

A. M. Hughes gives his personal guarantee with every Hyomel outfit. They sell to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction. There is no risk whatever to the purchaser of Hyomel.

The body of John Thornsbury, age 3, who was drowned at Ashland last week, was found near Portsmouth.

CINCINNATI MARKETS.

CATTLE: Extremely dull and weak shippers 4.25 to 5; butcher steers, extra 4.75 to 4.85, good to choice 4.15 to 4.65, common to fair 3 to 4.10; heifers, extra 4.50 to 4.60, good to choice 3.75 to 4.40, common to fair 2.25 to 3.65; cows, extra 3.75 to 4, good to choice 3 to 3.65, common to fair 1.25 to 2.75, canners 1.25 to 2.25.

CALVES: Extra 4.60, fair to good 3.25 to 3.75, common and large 3 to 5.7.

HOGS: Good to choice packers and butchers 5.25 to 5.40, mixed packers 5.25 to 5.35, stags 3 to 3.50, common to choice heavy fat sows 4.15 to 4.90, light shippers 5.25 to 5.35, pigs (110 lbs and less) 4.75 to 5.25.

SHEEP: Steady to strong; extra 4.10 to 4.15, good to choice 3.60 to 4, common to fair 2.25 to 3.50, stock sheep 2 to 4.

When you want finewriting paper and tablets, the best in the market for the price, go to Conley's store.

Mrs. S. L. May left Thursday for West Hartford, Vermont, to spend the summer. Mr. May accompanied her as far as Kenova.

Have your watches and clocks repaired at Conley's store.

If a fellow should step up and say: "Is it not enough for you today?" Don't parley; be quick,—Take a vitrified brick

And proceed in the old-fashioned way. EX.

John Collier, Harvey Smith and Will Jackson, all negroes, were hanged on one scaffold at New Decatur, Ala., yesterday. The first two were convicted of murder and rape and the last named of the murder of a police officer.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Edward M. Roberts, of Ashland, has been issued a patent on a wheel.

After a long illness Mrs. Conley, widow of B. H. Conley, died at Palmyra last Friday night. Her husband's death occurred last September. Four children are left.

From the Point Pleasant Gazette of June 15 we take the following: "Rev. Boland remains so ill that he will be unable to meet his appointment at Beech Hill next Sunday."

R. W. Baker, bagagemaster on the Big Sandy division, who has for several days been in the Clinton Forge Hospital has returned to his post of duty, with Capt. Frank Blevins, feeling very much improved after an operation on the throat.

Miss Mary Keelin, of Catlettsburg, book-keeper for Ben Williamson & Co., was one of the winners of a free trip to Europe in the popularity contest instituted some time ago by the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune. Fifty young ladies will make this trip, sailing from New York on July 1st.

Owingsville, Ky., June 19.—Abraham Renick, aged eighty-one years, one of the wealthiest men in the county, suffered a paralytic stroke yesterday and died in a few hours, leaving an estate of about \$100,000. This makes three sudden deaths among prominent people in this county in the last few days. Mrs. Perry Conner, Mrs. Clark and Mr. Renick.

At a meeting of the Board of Trust of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., Bishop R. K. Hargrove tendered his resignation as president. No action was taken by the board, but it is understood that Bishop Charles B. Galloway, of Mississippi, will be elected to fill the vacancy.

Chancellor J. H. Kirkland submitted his annual report, and recommended that the executive committee of the board of trustees be empowered to act in the matter of rebuilding the administration building, to cost \$125,000 and also a chemical department not to exceed \$100,000.

Mayking, Ky., June 18.—This week three new wells is the record in the Beaver oil field, in the Knott-Floyd border, north of here. Hall well No. 40 and 41 came in with a flow of thirty-five and forty barrels per day while Martin No. 42 well came in as a close third. Six new wells were begun during the week. Leasing new territory is still progressing, and much activity will follow. The New Domain are now buying acres the J. H. Pike county at present. Boring will soon begin on the old Jones farm, further up Beaver creek, where they will no doubt be some rich strikes.—Courier Journal.

Ironton, Ohio, June 16.—Council this evening granted a franchise to the Ashland and Ironton Bridge Company, the purpose of which was to empower this bridge company to construct a combination railroad, street railway, wagon way and foot bridge across the Ohio river, between Ironton and Ashland. The franchise is granted upon the condition that work shall be begun within a year from and after its passage.

The Ashland and Ironton Bridge Company, it is understood, is composed of stockholders of the C. H. and D. Railway Company and some local people, among whom are A. R. Johnson, the attorney of the road in this city, and Doug. Putnam, of Ashland. Eugene Zimmerman, of Cincinnati, is very much interested in this bridge, and work upon it is expected to be begun soon.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Virgil Lee Peterson, a cadet in West Point Military Academy, from the Fourth Kentucky district, has just closed his first year with second honors of his class and with the rank of corporal. Peterson is from Taylor county and is a graduate of Central University.

The Mingo-Republican reports that a dastardly attempt was made to wreck the N. & W. fast passenger No. 4, recently near Lost Creek, on the Naugatuck extension. A brake chain was found hooked about the rail. A trackwalker discovered it just in time to prevent a serious wreck.

While bathing with a number of companions at the mouth of Elijah's creek on the Big Sandy, Tommy, the seventeen-year old son of Bud Gilkerson, was drowned one day last week.

Bert Hall, of Magoffin county, went to Catlettsburg a few weeks ago. He set about the task of drinking all the whiskey kept in stock in that town. Falling in this he drank two ounces of carbolic acid. His funeral occurred the next day.—Herald.

The InterMountain Railroad Company, of Bord county, with \$5,000 capital stock. The company will build a line from a point in Martin county to Pigeon Roost, on Wolf creek, a distance of fourteen miles. John F. Hager and E. C. Lyon, of Caldwell, N. J., are incorporators.

Lando Hill, of Relief, Morgan county, who joined the army and became dissatisfied with his job before his three years service expired, and took french leave, was arrested at his home last week and taken to Fort Thomas. The next time Lando looks for Relief he will be more deliberate in seeking it.

The Leading Store at BIG BLAINE.

THE BLAINE EXCHANGE STORE.

T. V. PACK, Proprietor, and H. J. PACK, General Manager.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says that the question of a meeting place for the peace conference has been reopened, Russia favoring The Hague.

At Washington, it is stated that no change of location is probable, and Count Cassini is quoted as saying that Washington is accepted to Russia, and will remain so. In diplomatic circles it is believed that Japan's position in opposition to the selection of a European city is final.

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YOUR WANTS

May be almost entirely supplied from our Store. We have all the substantial and staple articles demanded by the average family.

EATABLES AND WEARABLES

See our Shoes, Dry Goods, Notions and Groceries. Prices right every time.

The Eloise Improvement Co.
Louisa, Kentucky.

JAY H. NORTHUP, Pres. F. T. D. WALLACE, Sec.
JED. DAVIS Store Mgr.

New Stock NEW PRICES.

When the bugle sounds, Pack is in their bound, and you see the little chickens shuffling round, they bid the old hens good-bye and say, "Dear mother, don't cry," for we will be in the city bye and bye.

BIG SANDY NEWS

FRIDAY, June 23, 1905.

HER MOTOR CAR.

Mary had a motor car propelled by gasoline. And everywhere that Mary went she rode in the machine. The motor struck a stone one day and from its course deflected—Doctor says that Mary is as well as expected.

Tin cans at Sullivan's.

Fresh Meat at Sullivan's.

Big Sacrifice sale going on at the Little Store.

Best Flour at Sullivan's.

John T. Jones has moved back to this county from Ironton, Ohio.

5 ct. Lace Sale has some surprising values. Pierce & Derrick.

Miller Seed at Sullivan's.

Millinery greater sacrifice prices. Pierce & Derrick.

Glass cans at Sullivan's.

Miss Birdie Gault entertained at cards Wednesday evening.

Shoes, good wide shoes and all other kinds for hot weather comfort. Pierce & Derrick.

All goods fresh at Sullivan's.

Best line of childrens suits. Call at The Little Store while the sale is going on.

A concrete sidewalk is being built in front of the First National Bank.

Triple Motion Pictures at Sullivan's.

It will pay you to call at the Little Store and see the \$2.50 Misses skirts going at \$1.39 during the sale.

For the four hundredth time we announce that communications to which the writer's name is not signed will not be published.

Those who like good coffee should try that fine Diamond brand at Robt. Burchett's.

A merry crowd of boys and girls enjoyed Monday evening at the home of Miss Jet O'Neal.

Ladies be sure and stop in at the Little Store and notice our great reductions on shirt waists.

Children's Day program will be carried out at the M. E. Church Sunday night.

There is no office anywhere that we send paper printing than the Big Sandy News office.

Eloise creamery butter and fresh strawberries may be had daily at the Home Improvement Co.'s store.

The weather during the past week has been extremely hot. The thermometer has registered as high as 90.

John G. Burns gave her Sunday school class its annual picnic Tuesday at her husband's farm on Lick Creek.

Mr. J. J. Johnson is in a Cincinnati hospital undergoing treatment. Son Johnson and little son were with her there for several days.

Very pleasant high five party given Friday evening by Mrs. M. Ragland in honor of her guest, Mamie Darling, of Carrollton.

There is nothing more enjoyable than a good bath in Mrs. Wellman's bath room, in connection with barber shop in Brunswick Hotel.

T. Rule went to Catlettsburg, day and played ball in the game between the Catlettsburg Elks and Huntington U. C. T. team.

Hester Roffe Huffman of Pike is rejoicing with her husband the arrival in their home of a son, the first of that sex, but with child.

H. Yates, District Manager for Mutual Life Insurance Company, and two policies for delivery a day ago on which the annual sum aggregate about \$100.

Z. A. Thompson and family gone to Pikeville, where they decided to locate. They expect property there as soon as a story place is found for sale.

You want an easy shave or haircut, call on Bascom Hale class bathroom is in operation section with the shop. Porcelain, instantaneous water.

Wm. Wood and M. G. Wat-Louis, will leave shortly for a day of recuperation and rest at the famous professional doctor Springs and Virginia Beach, independent.

Those who went to Fort Gay Sunday School picnic were: Misses Birdie Gault, Doyle, Mary and Irma Remond, Willie Pfister, Mr. Paul and Mr. Jim Kinsler.

Arthur has over 70 acres in cow peas on the Eloise will have in enough more about 85 acres. This is not a full crop with him. He is doing them successfully.

Important changes are being made in the road-bed of the Big Sandy River. Curves are being placed in a places. Pierce P. C. in charge of the work.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY

Result of Election Held in Lawrence Last Saturday.

The Republican primary election held last Saturday to nominate candidates for county offices of Lawrence county, failed to bring out a full vote. The total number cast was 1609, which is about 200 short. The result as shown by the official count made Wednesday, is as follows:

COUNTY JUDGE.

T. S. Thompson, 911.
T. L. Moore, 217.
F. H. Sturgell, 267.

Thompson's plurality, 544.

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

W. M. Savage, 697.
J. T. Swetnam, 696.

COUNTY CLERK.

Mont Holt, 796.
San Doc Frazier, 617.

SHERIFF.

H. B. Salter, 942.
Enoch Cordie, 523.

JAILER.

A. L. Burton, 658.
Winfrey Cordial, 359.
Joe Moore, 358.

ASSESSOR.

Robt. Mead, 709.
David Berry, 596.

J. H. Thompson, for Superintendent of Schools, had no opposition and received 1225 votes. Isaac Wheeler and Fred Perry had no opposition for Surveyor and Coroner.

The nominees for Magistrate are A. H. Miller, M. G. Berry, David Boggs and C. T. Miller. Some votes were cast for Marion Diamond for Magistrate, although he had declined to run and would not allow his name to go on the ballot. We are informed that he still declines to run.

The nominees for Constable are James M. Adlers and Luther Laney, who won by one vote each.

It will be observed that the County Attorney's race was decided by one vote.

At the M. E. Church, South, last Sunday morning Mr. Smith, Secretary in charge of the Y. M. C. A. work at Ashland, delivered an earnest and interesting talk. He told of the great work being done by the Young Men's Christian Association throughout the world. Mr. Smith has a number of Ashland boys with him in camp near Louisa, enjoying an outing.

After he closed his address the audience listened to a talk from Mr. Rogers, agent for the Kentucky Children's Home Society. A collection was taken for this worthy cause. Mr. Rogers went on to Paintsville Monday.

W. J. Vaughan, Lawrence county's tireless Sunday School worker, left Monday for Toronto, Canada, to attend the tri-annual meeting of the International Sunday School Convention. He was appointed a delegate from Kentucky. Mr. Vaughan is devoting all his time to Sunday School work, and his field extends over a large number of Eastern Kentucky counties.

D. W. Bell, who resides in Ashland and is a brakeman on the train operated in connection with the steam shovel, was painfully hurt Tuesday morning. While at work below town a large rock fell through the shovel lipper and struck him on the hand, smashing the last joint of the second finger. His injuries were dressed by the company's surgeon and he was sent to his home.

WANTED:—10 men and 40 women and girls to work in the canning factory. Work will begin early in July. Women and girls make from 6 cents to \$1.25 per day, according to their ability. Men from 10c to 15c per hour. Call at the canning factory office at once and leave your name and address if you want a position in the factory.

Louisa Canning Co.

Earl Atkinson stopped in Louisa Saturday on his way to Paintsville for visit to his father, Dr. W. T. Atkinson. He has a position as teacher in the business department of the Williamsburg, Ky., college and during vacation is traveling for the Oliver Typewriter Company. Earl's many Louisa friends were glad to see him.

Dr. F. D. Marcum's family have joined him at War Eagle, W. Va., where he is physician for the large number of miners employed at that point. Dr. Marcum will retain his legal residence at Louisa, intending to return here at some time in the future.

Daniel McKay, who was Superintendent of the work on Big Sandy Lock No. 2, and later at No. 1 on Levisa, has been transferred by the Baker Contract Company to work on the Ohio river. Chas. E. McCoy, of Pittsburg, succeeds Mr. McKay at Levisa Lock No. 1.

Capt. O. D. Botner has repurchased from Mr. Burton the house sold by the former to the latter about two months ago and will occupy it as a residence as soon as possession can be obtained which will be sometime in July. The Captain's farm at the forks of Little Blaine is for sale.

Will Rose, who was assistant to C. O. agent S. J. Justice, of this place, until recently, is now agent for the railroad company at Peach Orchard. Mr. Myers, former agent, was moved from Peach Orchard to Laynesville.

At the teachers' examination held at this place last Friday and Saturday there were 21 applicants. The result was as follows: 10 first class certificates, 7 second class and 4 failures.

County Clerk and Mrs. Add Skeens were called to Kinners Wednesday morning by the death of his step-father, John H. Carnutte. During their absence Miss Minnie Reynolds had charge of the Clerk's office.

Sandy Valley Seminary.

Paintsville, Ky., June 17.—Yesterday the Educational Boards of the M. E. Church, South, and the M. E. Church met with reference to consolidating the interests of the two churches in educational work in our town. The meeting was a success in every way, and the outcome is that the Seminary will be opened on September 13, 1905, as a joint school, the faculty and teachers being selected from each of the churches. Prof. W. H. Board, of Abingdon, Va., has been selected as Principal of the school. He is a graduate of Vanderbilt University, and was connected with Martha Washington College, of Virginia last year. Part of the faculty and some of the teachers have been selected, and the balance will have been installed before September. The members of the Kentucky Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church present were: Rev. A. Boring, President, Bellevue; Rev. Thos. Hanford, Augusta; Rev. J. D. Walsh, Louisville; Rev. S. V. Morris, Lexington; Rev. J. C. Shaw, Ashland; Rev. Bird Hughes, Ilwaco; Judge J. H. Tinsley, Covington; J. W. Henderson, Ashland; Rev. Edwin Shephard, Covington; Rev. George Reibold, Ashland; Rev. L. J. R. Howes, Ashland; and Rev. A. L. Williams, Paintsville. The members of the Western Virginia Conference of the M. E. Church, South, and of the Board of Education, present were: Rev. J. W. Herling, President, Huntington; Rev. A. M. Martin, Secretary, Huntington; Rev. J. W. Crites, Treasurer, Catlettsburg; Rev. B. K. Keith, Fairmont; Rev. A. B. Moore, Poca; Rev. J. B. York, Barboursville; Rev. C. W. Craig, Paintsville; Judge H. B. Rice, Paintsville; and Prof. W. M. Board, Abingdon, Va.

MAJOR WARREN

Will Succeed Col. Ruffner in Charge of Big Sandy River.

It will be remembered that some time ago the district composed of the Kentucky, Big Sandy, Guyandot and Muskingum rivers was merged temporarily with the lower Ohio, all under the supervision of Col. Ruffner. This temporary arrangement is to cease July 1st, when Major Warren is to take charge of the old district, leaving Col. Ruffner in charge of the Ohio alone.

Major Warren at one time had charge of the Louisville district, but for several years has been at a Wisconsin station.

During the comparatively short time in which the government has had the Big Sandy river under improvement there has been a great deal of shifting of officers. This is true all over the country, however, in this branch of the government service. First we had Merrill, then Cuyler, Post, Merrill again, Lockwood, Gregory, Harris, Heiser, Bixby, Hodges, Ruffner, and now Warren. Four of them came as Captains and were promoted to Majors during their stay. Two of them advanced from Major to Lieut. Colonel. Four are dead.

The retiring officer, Col. Ruffner, has been very attentive to his duties and no detail of importance has been passed upon without due study and consideration. His administration of the Big Sandy has been one eminently economical, thoroughly practical and very creditable to himself and his assistants. He is noted for carrying out his public duties on lines laid down for private expenditure, and he never permits an unnecessary or unauthorized expense to be incurred. He is known in the service as an old fashioned officer, without frills of any sort, and the public service would be benefited were there more of his kind in charge of expenditures.

Last week the NRVSS made its appearance under difficulties, such as a sick foreman and a breakdown in the large press. This resulted in the omission of several items.

Among these was a notice of the singing of Miss Kate Freese at the M. E. Church, South, at the Sunday morning service. "Face to Face" was the title of a solo exquisitely rendered by her on that occasion. It is the verdict of all who were present that nothing surpassing it has ever been heard here. Many pronounce it the best vocal solo ever rendered in Louisa. Miss Freese's naturally clear and musical voice shows the result of the superb training received under Cincinnati great-est teacher. Her singing would attract the most favorable attention anywhere. She sang with such expression upon the occasion referred to that almost every member of the large audience was visibly affected. This is only the second time that she has favored a Louisa audience with a solo. It is hoped that she may be heard often in the future.

Get The Best.

Painting time is here again and you should let your thoughts turn to United States paint as the best on the market. It is positively the same paint that is sold under the best known brand in the country today, is made by the same people, and comes with it the same guarantee. By using the name "United States Paint" instead of the other we save you fifteen cents per gallon.

Snyder Hardware Co.

TO TOMATO AND BEAN GROWERS.

Read your instructions on bean growing and do not hoe or plow your beans when the vines are wet with dew or rain. Do not fail to call on us at the canning factory between this and July 1st to receive useful instructions about picking and delivering the beans. Wm. Chesterfield, Superintendent.

A fourteen-pound girl was born to the wife of James Ewing, colored, this week.

DEATH

Claims Two Good Citizens, One as the Result of a Dose of Poison.

On Tuesday of this week two of Lawrence county's best citizens passed to their reward. James "Slasher" Carter died on the morning of that day and John Carnutte in the evening. Mr. Carter lived near Yatesville, and Mr. Carnutte on Horseford Branch, about seven miles below Louisa.

Mr. Carter was in his 82nd year. His fatal illness was of about three weeks duration, and the exact nature of it is not known. His extreme age was doubtless the chief cause of his death. The body was taken to the family burying ground at his former home near Prosperity on Wednesday, where the interment was made that afternoon in the presence of a large number of people.

We have heard the opinion expressed that Lawrence county never had a better citizen, one to whom fewer faults were charged, than Mr. Carter. He was one of those industrious, progressive and substantial citizens whose life and influence count for so much in the community. It is difficult to estimate the value of such a life as his. The loss to our county is therefore very great.

Mr. Carter leaves a wife and several sons and daughters.

Mr. John H. Carnutte was also a valuable citizen, whose life might well be followed as an example by the younger generation. He was about 75 years of age.

The particulars surrounding his death are very sad. He died as the result of a dose of strychnine, taken by mistake. Death resulted in a very short time. It is said that he and his wife had prepared two doses of quinine to take that night. They also had some poison put up in about the same way, and when Mr. Carnutte thought he was getting the quinine he got the poison and swallowed it. The fatal error was not discovered until the strychnine had done its deadly work. Mr. Carnutte was almost prostrated by the sad accident.

The body was taken to Mr. Carnutte's former home at Prosperity for interment.

Mr. Carnutte was an exemplary citizen in all respects. He was thoroughly respected by all who knew him, and was regarded as one of the very best citizens of Lawrence county.

New School Book Law.

The Superintendent of Public Instruction, in compliance with the New State School Book Bill, has ordered that all books now in use in the State (Lawrence county included) which are supplied by the American Book Company under their old contracts with the counties be discontinued, and there be substituted in their place the new series of books which the American Book Company is under contract with the State, to supply. This change does not effect the books supplied by any other Company supplied under contract with this county.

For full particulars concerning this change inquire at the office.

Hannah M. Lackey,
Supt. Schools, L. C.

Marriages.

M. R. Sammons, age 28, of Wayne county, W. Va., and Emma H. Dobbins, 21, of Gallup, will be married today at the latter place. Bride is a daughter of the late Kim Dobbins.

Other recent marriages as shown by the records in the County Clerk's office are as follows:

John K. Holbrook, age 22, and Miss Lizzie Peters, 25. Bride is a daughter of Chas. F. Peters, of Walbridge.

John M. Stephenson, age 45, and Mary Robinet, 44.

Isiah Wiley, 26, and Lizzie Pearce, 23, of Gallup.

Isom Daniels, 21, and Mary L. De-bord, 16.

Delay at Lock No. 2.

The use of Lock No. 2, which was completed some time ago, is being delayed on account of the breaching of some of the rock racks of the dam. The authorities proceeded to procure new ones as soon as the trouble occurred, but this takes some time under the red tape rules of government.

This is the reason the dam has not raised this season. As soon as the new pieces are received and in place the slackwater system for about thirty miles from the mouth of the river will be put into use.

To Stockholders of Bridge Co.

A call for another 10 per cent payment on subscription to the Louisa & Fort Gay Bridge Company is hereby made. All subscribers are requested to give this prompt attention.

Louisa & Fort Gay Bridge Co.

Doors and Sash.

The Snyder Hardware Company has just received a car load of doors and sash of various kinds and sizes and is offering them at the lowest prices ever named in Louisa. Builders are invited to look at the stock.

A photograph of Alexander Lackey now of Redlands, Cal., shows how he has grown since he left here in poor health a few months ago. He weighs about 200 pounds, which is a gain of 70 pounds since he landed in that sunny clime.

J. E. Meloy recently purchased from Dr. York a house and lot beyond the head of Main street, being the same house that was formerly occupied by Mr. Meloy.

PERSONALS.

Dr. L. B. Dean was in from Adams yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Meloy was in Ashland Wednesday.

J. H. McClure was down from Gallup Tuesday.

Coon Kinner, of Cataiba, was in Louisa Monday.

F. H. Yates has been in Paintsville for several days.

J. L. Richmond, of Huntington, was in Louisa Sunday.

Dr. P. C. Layne, of Ashland, was a caller in Louisa Friday.

Mrs. John M. Rice, of Chapman, spent Monday in Louisa.

Homer Marcum, of Ceredo, is the guest of Louisa relatives.

J. A. Abbott was here from Beaver the guest of his family Sunday.

Oscar L. Moore, of Louisville, called on Louisa merchants this week.

Mrs. D. Brown and little son left Friday for a visit in Catlettsburg.

Miss Nellie Bevins, of Pikeville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Cox.

Dr. Ben Dixon and son, of Salyersville, were visitors in Louisa this week.

J. R. Conley, of Paintsville, transacted business in Louisa the first of the week.

Mrs. Fannie Loar was up from Porters Wednesday shopping and visiting friends.

Mrs. John M. Worley, of Abingdon, Va., is the guest of her father, Jas. Picklesimer.

G. R. Burgess, H. G. Wellman and A. G. Barrett were visitors in Huntington Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Rathbone, of Catlettsburg, has been visiting Mrs. T. J. Snyder this week.

Mrs. Bascom Sturgell, of Ashland, is the guest of relatives at Irad and Wilbur this week.

Rev. Z. Meek, of Catlettsburg, went to Pikeville Tuesday to take an outing of a few days.

Miss Okey Peters returned Tuesday from Delaware, Ohio, where she had been attending school.

Mrs. Schmauch, of Huntington, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Justice the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Carter were in from Busseville Saturday guests of A. O. Carter and family.

Heman W. Fulkerson has returned from Louisville, where he had been attending a medical college.

Prof. G. M. McClure, of Danville, spent Sunday in Louisa the guest of his mother, Mrs. Martha McClure.

Miss Charlotte Rodgers left Tuesday for her home in Cincinnati after a visit to her cousin, Mrs. J. C. Thomas.

Judge W. W. Marcum, of Ceredo, visited his daughters, Mrs. W. D. O'Neal and Mrs. C. C. Hill Wednesday.

Misses Maud Hulett and Laura French, of this county, are visiting Mrs. W. M. Byington at Prestonsburg.

Mr. and C. T. Reynolds are expected here from Bluefield, W. Va., Saturday to be guests of Mrs. J. W. Yates a few days.

W. D. Roffe, Robt. Sturgell, H. E. Ferguson and Josh Diamond attended the Confederate Reunion in Louisville last week.

Miss Mabel Butler left Monday for a visit to her brother, Ray Butler, and other relatives at Thacker and Williamson, W. Va.

Mrs. Martha J. Ferguson and little grand-daughter, Martha Sudith, came up from Central City Saturday for a few days visit.

Miss Mattie Bays has returned from a visit to relatives at Tule, W. Va., and has gone to her home at East Point to spend the summer.

Miss George Vinson and Mrs. McFarland left Wednesday for a shopping trip to Huntington and will visit in Ceredo before returning.

Miss Ada Johnson, of Whites creek, was the guest of Miss Melbie Bromley the first of the week, who accompanied her home for a visit.

E. L. Ferguson and daughter, Miss Wilmore Ferguson, came up from Huntington Saturday for a visit to Mrs. J. L. Carey and Mrs. C. L. Miller. Mr. Ferguson returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Eldridge have gone to house keeping in Ashland. Mrs. Eldridge who had been here for some time the guest of her mother, Mrs. Yates, left Monday for Ashland.

Mrs. Harry Corns, of Galveston, Texas, will arrive Saturday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Lackey. She will be accompanied from Cincinnati by her aunt, Mrs. B. P. Thomas, who will be their guest a few days.

Will and Bert Cooksey, two Lawrence county young men who have gone into other communities and succeeded, were here yesterday. Will is located in Grayson and Bert at Soldier. Both are successful merchants.

Mrs. A. J. Reese and two daughters, from Centralia, Mo., are visiting relatives in this county. Miss Hagan, a niece from Huntington, W. Va., is with Mrs. Reese. It has been twelve years since Mrs. Reese's last visit here. She was formerly Miss Kate Garred daughter of Ulysses Garred, deceased, one of our county's most prominent men.

SPECIAL

CLEARANCE SALE

Owing to the Unseasonable Weather this Spring we have decided to make a

BIG CUT on all

Clothing, Furnishing

Goods and Hats.

SHIPMAN, The Clothier.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Cure Only in Two Days.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.

This signature, E. W. Loomis on every box 25c.

The People's Big Store

MONEY SAVED.

WE NOW OFFER the choice selection of our brand new stock of

Hot Weather Dry Goods, Notions, and Novelties,

just received, at prices lower than many of them cost wholesale earlier in the season.

The reason is that we used the sledge hammer of SPOT CASH and bought at the right time to make this entirely New Clean Stock the money saving proposition of the summer for our customers.

OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT has been strictly attended to and the many new additions keep it right up-to-date in stylish Solid Leather Values, guaranteeing you a fair deal and your money's worth everytime.

Come early and often, satisfaction guaranteed.

PIERCE & DERRICK,

BARGAIN LEADERS,

(Gunnell's Corner.)

4th of JULY.

Celebration at Louisa Arranged For and Big Time Expected.

The business men of Louisa have put up the money necessary to insure a good celebration here on the 4th of July, and the committee has arranged the program. Several citizens are at work on the details of the program, preparing to have it all executed in the best manner possible.

The people of the surrounding country are cordially invited to come and be our guests on that glorious occasion. It is the duty of every American family to appropriately observe this great day and thus keep alive the all important spirit of patriotism.

Come and bring the children and have a good time.

There will be races and athletic contests of various kinds, and liberal prizes will be paid to the winners. Two balloons will be sent up. A prominent speaker will deliver an appropriate oration. We shall not attempt to name all the attractions, as the program has not as yet been completed in all details.

The Republicans of Lawrence County are hereby called to meet at the Court house in Louisa, Ky., on Saturday, July the 1st, to select delegates to attend the convention to be held at Ashland, Ky., July 3rd, 1905, to nominate a candidate for State

